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for a Wire Rope for Mining Equipment

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REQUEST FOR PERMISSION TO WITHDRAW AS ATTORNEY OF RECORD

Honorable Commissioner:

The present Attorneys of record, Wendy K. Buskop and Mr. Christian N. Heausler, wish to request permission to withdraw as the attorneys of record for the above referenced applicant in this case for the reasons stated below:

On October 27, 2004 we sent all Pending Patent Files to our Client's new counsel Mr. George R. Schultz of Schultz & Associates, P.C. at One Lincoln Centre, 5400 LBJ Freeway, Suite 525 of Dallas, Texas 75240. Mr. George R. Schultz received these files and faxed back our letter with written confirmation that he received all pending files on October 28, 2004. This Letter, in which was signed as confirmation of receiving all files is shown as Attachment A.

On October 26, 2004 Mr. George R. Schultz sent us a letter via fax that also enclosed a signed file release letter from Mr. Randy Paroline of ABL Services, Inc. appointing new counsel.

These letters are shown as Attachment B and Attachment C.

**Present Mailing Address of Withdrawing Attorney**

Please note the present mailing address of the attorneys withdrawing from this case:

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**REMARKS**

We believe adequate notice has been provided to the Applicant to permit our immediate withdrawal.

Respectfully submitted,

Date: 11/1/04

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RE: Pending Patent Applications – Transfer of Files

Dear Sirs:

Our client Mr. Randy Paroline of ABL Services, Inc. has asked us to forward their pending cases to Mr. George "Russ" Schultz of Schultz & Associates, P.C. at One Lincoln Centre, 5400 LBJ Freeway, Suite 525, Dallas, Texas 75240.

Enclosed are copies of all pending Patent applications for ABL Services, Inc., which include the following Patent applications as follows:

Title	Application Serial No.	Filing Date	Inventors	Next Action Date
Method for Making a Termination for a Wire Rope for Mining Equipment	10/825,658	April 14, 2004	George Robert Gregory and Robert McClure Love, III	April 14, 2005
Mining System Using a Wire Rope with a Termination	60/562,365	April 14, 2004	George Robert Gregory	April 14, 2005
Method for Mining with a Termination	60/562,432	April 14, 2004	George Robert Gregory	April 14, 2005
Termination on a Wire Rope Formed from Exothermic Metallic Material or Liquid Adhesives	60/562,412	April 14, 2004	George Robert Gregory	April 14, 2005

**BUSKOP LAW GROUP, P.C.**

Please sign below stating you received these applications, so that we can withdraw as the attorney of record.

If you have any questions, please don't hesitate to contact us.

Warmest Regards,  
Buskop Law Group, P.C.

*Wendy Busk*

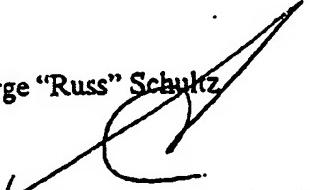
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**ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF FILE TRANSFERRED**

I acknowledge that I have received the following Pending Patent Application Files for the following referenced Patent Application Serial Nos. 10/825,658; 60/562,365; 60/562,432; 60/562,412. By receiving these files I also acknowledge that the Buskop Law Group, Ms. Wendy Busk and Mr. Christian N. Heausler are no longer representing these applications or these clients in any pending or non-pending matters and/or applications.

New Counsel: Mr. George "Russ" Schultz

Signature: 

Printed Name: George R. Schultz

Date:

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Via Facsimile 713-960-0204

Re: File Transfer  
Our File: 10152.0101

Dear Ms. Buskop:

Enclosed is a signed file release letter from Mr. Randy Paroline of ABL Services, Inc.

Please confirm that all intellectual property files previously handled by your firm on behalf of ABL and/or Mr. Paroline will be boxed and ready for pick up by a Schultz & Associates courier no later than 9:00 a.m. November 1, 2004.

Thank you for your cooperation.

Very truly yours,

George "Russ" Schultz

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Ms. Wendy K. B. Buskop  
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Re: File Transfer

Dear Ms. Buskop:

Please release all intellectual property files handled by your firm to the attorneys listed below.

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The files should include, but should not be limited to, patent applications having the following titles:

1. Method for Mining With a Termination;
2. Termination on a Wire Rope Formed from Exothermic Metallic Material or Liquid Adhesives'
3. Mining System Using a Wire Rope With a Termination; and
4. Method for Making a Termination for a Wire Rope for Mining Equipment.

The files should be boxed and ready for courier pickup no later than November 1, 2004.

Very truly yours,

Randy Paroline  
October 25, 2004